

FY2006 MARFIN Selections - Competitive Proposals

Proposal	Applicant	Project	1st Year Federal Funding
06MF021(RF)	Marine Environmental Sciences Consortium	Evaluating species interactions in reef fish communities: The potential impact of Red Snapper (<i>Lutjanus campechanus</i>) on recruitment of vermillion snapper (<i>Rhomboplites aurorubens</i>)	\$103,720
06MF020(RF)	St. Thomas Fishermen Association, Inc.	By-catch studies of Reef fish in support of Caribbean Fishery Management Council preferred options for fishery management in St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands	\$56,079
06MF025(RS)	Texas Agricultural Experiment Station	Economic analysis of red snapper bycatch reduction management alternatives for directed and nondirected fisheries	\$54,108
06MF028(RS)	Auburn University	The use of ultrasonic telemetry to estimate natural and fishing mortality of Red Snapper, <i>Lutjanus Campechanus</i>	\$103,613
06MF039(ESS)	Appalachian State University	Angler heterogeneity and the species specific demand for recreational fishing in the southeast United States	\$49,419
06MF022(RF)	North Carolina Dept. of Environment and Natural Resources; Division of Marine Fisheries	Age sampling of the commercial snapper/grouper fishery and age structure of black sea bass in North Carolina	\$74,223
06MF032(GEF)	University of Southern Mississippi	Assessing population trends of demersal fishes and invertebrates from long-term inshore and offshore fishery-independent surveys	\$140,489
06MF011(RF)	Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University	Incorporating protogyny into stock assessment models	\$64,817

TOTAL

\$646,468